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Sir: Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of:

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For:

APPARATUS, METHOD AND PROGRAM FOR SUPPORTING A REVIEW

Enclosed are:								
	Sheets of Drawings							
X Thi	This application is being filed without an executed Declaration.							
	Priority is claimed from Japanese Application No. 2003-142840 (which is hereby filed May 21, 2003 ——————————————————————————————————							
X Co	Copies of the disclosure documents listed on the attached PTO 1449 form and reference)							
Small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 is hereby claimed.								
X Specification: Abstract X , Description 33 pages; and 19 claim(s).								
Preliminary Amendment.								
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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees that may be required to Deposit Account No. 50-1417.								

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